

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Abhishek Chauhan *et al.*

Application number: 10/782,739

Filed: February 18, 2004

For: *Using Statistical Analysis to Generate Exception Rules that Allow Legitimate Messages to Pass through Application Proxies and Gateways*

Attorney Docket No.: 2006579-0556 (CTX-197)

Art Unit: 2132

Examiner: Lanier, Benjamin E.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated March 17, 2008, and preliminary to further examination in accordance with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.